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House Resolution No. 4333

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives occasionally pause in their diverse daily activities in order to convey a warm Show-Me State welcome to esteemed visitors whose donations of time and energy admirably help enhance the quality of life in local communities and neighborhoods; and

Whereas, actor William deVry of Montreal, Canada, will be a special guest at the 2008 Hawk Point PTO fund-raiser designed to make improvements to the Hawk Point elementary school playground and library; and

Whereas, an Emmy Award nominee, William deVry has appeared in All My Children, The Lost World, Outer Limits, Dead Man's Gun, Nash Bridges, First Wave, Poltergeist: The Legacy, Port Charles, Beggars & Choosers, Stargate SG-1, and Gene Roddenberry's Earth: Final Conflict; and

Whereas, since September 2006, William deVry has portrayed Storm Logan in The Bold and the Beautiful on CBS television; and

Whereas, William deVry is the great-grandson of Herman deVry, who invented the first portable motion picture projector, founded Devry University, and is known as the "Father of Visual Education"; and

Whereas, William deVry's maternal grandmother held twenty-six world records in track and field competition, and his father lettered in several sports in college; and

Whereas, it is fitting and proper that the Missouri House of Representatives should recognize such outstanding visitors to the state as actor William deVry:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the personal and professional accomplishments garnered thus far in the life and work of William deVry and to convey to him this legislative body's most heartfelt commendation of his contributions to the 2008 Hawk Point PTO fund-raiser; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for presentation to actor William deVry.

Offered by
Representative Ed Schieffer
District No. 11
I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 4333, adopted October 9, 2008.
Rod Jetton, Speaker